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NOTIFICATION

Ref. Office Order no. 308/FEWD, dated 28-06-03 vide which the State Government has allowed villagers for left over timbers against the bonafide Marking Order (M.O.) to be sold up to the extent of 40% of the permissible volume of the tree (Trees) in question as stated in the M.O. as per the volume table.

The State Government has decided and has enhanced the above limit to 60% so that the farmers may earn additional income and meet the expenses of tree conversion into timber from their private holding by cultivating more and more trees under the agro forestry.

Divisional Forest Officer (T)s are directed to allow such cases as per amendment above and accordingly may entertain the applications for Transit Permit against such sale. ROs/BOs concerned should inspect the location of use of timber to ensure that only the left over timber is being disposed off by M.O. holders in the manner mentioned above and not the whole quantity of the Marking Orders.

This shall be effective from1st April 2004.

By Order.

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